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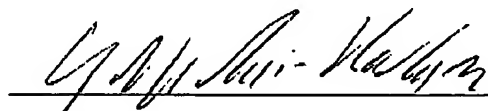
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RESPONSE to EXAMINER'S REQUIREMENT for RESTRICTION under 35 U.S.C. 121

In response to examiner's requirement for election on 03/08/2005 in the above identified application, applicant elects as follows:

Claims 1 -14 and 26 - 28, drawn to a gate dielectric, classified in class 257, subclass 410.

Respectfully,



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